

The Renaissance

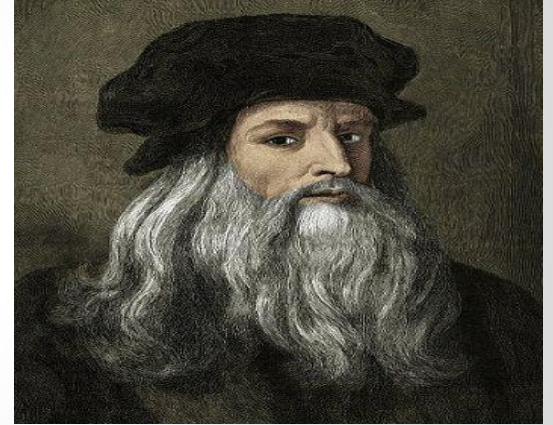
What was the Renaissance and What were the main ideas behind it?

The renaissance was a period of time after the 'Dark Ages'. Literature/arts and many other things flourished during this time. It was a time of cultural rebirth in Europe. The Renaissance originated in Florence, Italy around 1300.



Who were some of the important people associated with it?

Some of the most important people during the Renaissance were painters, scientists and philosophers. Leonardo Da Vinci was one of the most well known figures during this time period. Galileo was very important, he discovered so many things about our solar system and the universe. Niccolo Machiavelli was known for creating modern political science.



In what ways did it lead to “modern” ideas?

The renaissance furthered our knowledge of art and literature as well as scientific advancements. During the renaissance people took focus off of the church and paid more attention to the humanities. it Furthered our knowledge of human biology and medical practices. One of the modern ideas that came from the renaissance was political sciences.

